

PASADENA.

BUDGETS OF NEWS FROM THE BAILLIWICK.

Library Affairs—The Liquor Cases—Accidents and Incidents—New Fire-Alarm System—Personal News—Movements of Citizens Here and There.

PASADENA, Aug. 15.—[Special Correspondence of THE TIMES.] The directors of the public library met yesterday and elected B. M. Wotkins a director, instead of Mr. Kinney, who had resigned. A regular discussion of the affairs of the library ensued. There was not a great amount of money collected for the building fund since last report, but those having the matter in charge are not discouraged, as so many of the citizens are away enjoying themselves. Mr. C. T. Hopkins contributed several works to the library.

When Mr. John Cross's motor road is completed as a branch of the present Glendale road our citizens will have cause for rejoicing.

Hearken to my plea, ye City Fathers! When is Fair Oaks avenue, from Illinois street north, to be repaired and the numerous "chuck holes" filled up? A member of the long-suffering public cries out in plaintive request that it may be so, very soon; and all the balance of the said suffering public cries out, "Amen!"

SOUTH PASADENA SCHOOL.

A meeting of citizens of South Pasadena took place last night at the schoolhouse. Mr. Graham was made chairman and Mr. Wilson, secretary.

It was decided that the old school building shall be removed to Lincoln Park, and that a new building, to cost \$7000, be erected on the site of the old one.

The plans of the new building were carefully examined and accepted, while an advisory committee consisting of Messrs. Lockwood, Edwards and Soper were chosen to compile on any changes that may become advisable in said plans.

The work is to be begun at once and pushed to completion.

PERSONALS.

Mr. A. Comer of South Pasadena was in the city today seeking to get some capitalists interested in some mining claim in the vicinity of Newhall. The specimen of ore exhibited are certainly very rich in silver.

The injured decorator, George Abrey, was conscious for a time this morning, and, although in a precarious state, it is hoped that the poor man may yet recover.

Quite a number of our citizens have come to Downey to take in the county fair.

W. B. Thomas and family, William Keso and family, Rev. Keso, J. Permar, E. E. Fordham, Lyman Craig, Will Watson, Mr. Thompson and family and a number of others go to Catalina tomorrow.

John Weller, who has been long a great sufferer, died last night at his late home on Vermont avenue, of consumption. He leaves a widow and young son.

The footpads are still infesting sections of the city.

R. M. Furlong and wife go to Coronado Beach for a few days, and Mrs. Furlong will then visit friends in Kentucky.

G. H. Lee and D. Lee, the Acme Hotel men, will take in Long Beach for a few days.

G. A. Cherry is back at the Painter Hotel, after a trip of two months' duration to Catalina, Coronado and other noted points.

The police disagreement matters are about to be closed, on the intercession of certain citizens, who think mutual concessions between the Council and Marshal Mundell should be made and the efficiency of the service maintained, and the Marshal to appoint his subordinates and the Council to approve or reject the nominations made.

LIQUOR CASES—ACCIDENT.

PASADENA, Aug. 16.—[Correspondence of THE TIMES.] The case of John Senich, a Frenchman, who was accused of selling liquors at his house, on Kansas street, came up today before Justice Terry. As the evidence against him was conclusive, Senich concluded to quit selling and move away from the city, and sentence was suspended so that he may do so. In the meantime, he will be closely watched. He says he will move to Los Angeles. Schultz and Vellies, the druggists, on South Fair Oaks avenue, were also placed on the list. Mr. Schultz came into court and agreed to give bonds in the sum of \$1000 that no liquor shall be sold on his premises, unless for filling a prescription. The authorities are ably handling all cases brought to their knowledge, and the Committee on Enforcement can be congratulated on the results of their efforts.

A Mrs. Sanborn of Linda Vista met with quite an accident yesterday on the down grade of Dakota street, where it leads to the arroyo. The lady, with two children, was driving up from the arroyo, and the horse from some cause began suddenly to back when nearly at the top of the incline, and soon all hands, the lady, children, horse, buggy, etc., all rolled promiscuously down the steep bank at the side of the incline, and finally landed in a heap at the bottom. Fortunately none of the occupants were injured, nor was the animal, but the buggy was a complete wreck. It was a narrow escape.

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM.

The city has been divided into four fire districts, and the bell of the Baptist Church will be used as an alarm bell. A general alarm will be given in case of fire, and one, two, three or four taps following, will indicate the district in which the fire is located, number one being the northeast, two the northwest, three the southwest and four for the southeast section. It is made the duty of the police officers to ring alarms, but any citizen may of course do so, when occasion requires. A new hose cart and 600 feet of hose is to be added to the stock on hand.

PERSONALS.

There are 14 "Tippecanoe and Tyler, too," men in this vicinity, and they range in date of birth from 1801 up, and they all intend voting for Harrison, as "in ye olden time."

Nash Bros. are building a handsome house on Pasadena avenue, near the California-street schoolhouse.

Mr. A. K. McQuilling is now erecting a two-story dwelling on Bellevue drive. J. W. Scoville is putting up a two-story dwelling on the corner of Colorado and Orange Grove.

Mr. W. C. Carpenter is building a nice cottage on Euclid near Walnut street, and has plans for another adjoining, soon to be commenced.

Dr. Page and E. L. Farris are each contemplating erecting dwellings, while J. Ellis of Ellis & Simpson is having plans drawn for a three-story block on the corner of Fair Oaks and Kansas.

These are only a few of the many

IMPROVEMENTS UNDER WAY OR TO BE MADE VERY SOON.

Messrs. T. C. Foster and P. Michener left for the East this morning.

Mr. Wiley and family go to the seashore tomorrow to remain for some weeks.

The efficient librarian of the Public Library, Mrs. Merritt, is taking a vacation at Switzer's Camp and other mountain resorts.

The heirs at law of the late Isaac Banta intend contesting the disposition, by will, of the property of the deceased.

Mr. J. S. Calhoun, chorister at the Christian Church, goes east at once to Marshalltown, Iowa.

Arrangements are being made to provide accommodations for the delegates to the M. E. Conference, which meets here on September 13th.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES.

Henry Vrooman.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 15.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] In your editorial, "The Railroad in Politics," of this morning, in speaking of the Hon. Henry Vrooman, the following language is used: "The fact that Vrooman is characterized by the respectable citizens of Alameda county as a professional briber and corruptionist has, of course, no weight with that corporation. Such tools are all the more acceptable to them."

This writer once lived in Alameda county, and has known of Mr. Vrooman for 12 or 15 years, and, therefore, may be pardoned for saying that such statements as those quoted above can come only from a total lack of acquaintance with the man himself, and an entire ignorance of the feelings of the respectable citizens of Alameda county. I remember Mr. Vrooman as a blacksmith, working at his forge all day and studying law, mathematics and the classics at night, in 1872-73, and I know of him today, the first lawyer and citizen of his county, the trusted friend and confidential advisor of its best people while they are living, and their chosen administrator of their estates when they die. Upon this man, suffering as he does unendurable torments from a terrible and incurable heart affliction, in the State Senate great public and private institutions lean for support, with the absolute conviction that in his trustworthy, full and exact justice will be done.

The history of this State has no grander picture than that of Henry Vrooman in the last Legislature, though rent with pain, leading his fellow-Senators—on an opponent to all jobbery, the friend of all fair and just measures. There is no able leader, no better or more patriotic man, no more heroic character in the State today than Henry Vrooman, and when his fellow-Republican members gave him their full complimentary vote for United States Senator, they did themselves and their party honor.

In these times, when men who have fled the track when their party needed help are creeping back and seeking leadership, it is a pleasure to know that such tried, true and able men as T. G. Phelps of San Mateo, for Congress, and Henry Vrooman of Alameda, for the Senate; men whose bright records are stainless and above suspicion, are in the field also, as gallant Republicans as ever.

Mr. Vrooman's beautiful home almost adjoins the grounds of our State University at Berkeley, and as that institution looks upon him as its ablest friend and supporter, I trust you will give space to this. From

A UNIVERSITY GRADUATE.

A School of Journalism.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 14.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] I note the fact that Cornell University is inaugurating a school of journalism. This innovation may be a success, but I doubt it. Will it teach the school to meekly listen to the gentle (?) reproach of the city editor, as he calls their attention to the fact that they have been gloriously "scooped," and learn them to formulate a valid excuse therefor? Will they learn to bear in silence the painful operation of that "blue pencil" as it vivisects and mutilates their "best lines"? Will they learn to submissively accept a midnight detail, in a driving storm, to the scene of a fire or crime two miles away and no street-car running? Will there be a polychrome department attached, where the budding journalists will be taught to hang to a transmogrified by their eyebrows while they report the proceedings of a political caucus? Will they "work in" the usual number of "dull thuds," "killed dead," "widow woman," etc.? When they write, "I kissed her sub rosa," or, "I kissed her under the silent stars," and it is printed, "I kissed her sub rosa," or, "I kicked her under the cellar stairs," or, "A heart bowed down with grief and care" appears in the morning, "A heart bowed down with grief and care," will they pass mirthfully over the matter, or will they secure a low-browed, thick-set club and lay for the proof-reader and the "slip," that set up that take? After a cold, ruddy, midnight trip of two or three dozen blocks to a fire, and they write a glowing column of how "the devouring midnight flames leaped high in air," etc., it appears "Pat Sheeney's grocery was destroyed by fire last night; loss, \$800; insured," will they resign? Will they be taught how to "work" a "free line ad" for the cigars? Will they learn to cut a clean collar, shirt bosom and a pair of cuffs out of cardboard? Will they be taught to sit down on the curbstone and calmly write up an account of a fire in a six-story tenement while the occupants, crazed with terror and pain, are leaping from the windows or falling back into the flames? Will they be taught to perch on the end of a tie by the side of a railroad wreck and serenely sketch the dying agonies of the passengers, count the dead and wounded and give an estimate of the loss to the company?

There are many other points to be learned which cannot well be taught in a "school of journalism." Practical work in a printing office is far ahead of any college journalistic curriculum. REPORTER.

Miss Nina Boucault, daughter of Agnes Robertson and Dion Boucault, has been engaged for the leading part in Mr. William Gillette's new play, "A Legal Wreck," which is to be produced at the Madison-square Theater, New York, in August. Miss Boucault, though still in her teens, will begin her career in this country, with a record of three successful seasons at Astoria, where she has played "Hazel Kirke," and "Susan" in "Held by the Enemy."

Up in the big workshop on the top floor of the Park Theater building preparations are in progress for a Brooklyn venture that is to be the country next season, beginning in September in New York. Carpenters are building the scenery for "Fascination," in which Cora Tanner is to star, and property men are engaged in manufacturing various articles in wood and papier-mache that are to figure in the production.

THE CONVOCATION.

Election of Officers—Church Extension Society.

Upon reassembling the minutes of the previous meeting were read, corrected and approved. The Dean then announced that the next order of business was the election of officers, and nominations were made for the office of dean.

The names of the present incumbent, the Rev. A. G. L. Trew, and the Rev. J. W. H. Brown, H. B. Restarick and T. J. Mynard were presented. Messrs. Brown and Restarick withdrew their names, and the vote resulted as follows: Rev. A. G. L. Trew, 9; Rev. J. J. Mynard, 7; Rev. A. G. Trew was declared elected. The election, on motion of Mr. Mynard, was made unanimous.

The Rev. J. D. H. Brown, present incumbent, was elected secretary and Mr. Daniel Cleveland of San Diego was elected treasurer.

On motion the Church Extension Society was made custodian of the funds to be collected from pledges for the endowment of the episcopate of the future diocese of Southern California.

The report of committee on convocational missionary elicited considerable discussion, but was finally adopted with its recommendation that an assessment be made on each parish and mission of the convocation on the basis of 50 cents per capita.

A committee was appointed to enter into correspondence with reference to securing a man to act in the capacity of convocational missionary. The committee consisted of Messrs. Mynard, Brown and Restarick were named.

The chair appointed as preacher for next meeting the Rev. F. R. Sanford, and the Rev. M. McCosh, alternate, and the Rev. T. C. Whiting, San Jose, with the Rev. W. J. O'Brien as alternate.

On motion of the Rev. H. B. Restarick a resolution was adopted extending thanks to the Rev. H. S. Jefferys and his people for their cordial welcome to Epiphany parish.

The Rev. J. D. H. Brown offered a resolution indorsing all efforts at establishing church schools, and commending the effort at such a school in Pasadena.

A similar resolution was offered by the Rev. H. B. Restarick, seconded by the Rev. J. J. Mynard, indorsing church schools in general, and commending the effort of Miss Abby S. Marsh of Los Angeles.

It was voted to meet in January in St. Paul's Church, Tucson.

The Church Extension Society presented its first annual report of the convocation by the Rev. H. S. Jefferys, secretary.

On motion, the convocation adjourned sine die.

CHURCH EXTENSION SOCIETY.

This society convened in the chapel of the Church of the Epiphany, at 2 o'clock p.m. yesterday. There were present the president, the Rev. A. G. L. Trew, the secretary, the Rev. H. S. Jefferys, and the Rev. Messrs. Brown and Birdsell, and Messrs. Towell and Huggins.

After the reading of the minutes, the President reported an offer from Inglewood of two lots, to be held in trust for the church. On motion, the offer was accepted.

The secretary reported that the Rev. Miguel as having been transferred to the society by the Bishop. The secretary was instructed that if necessary, he take such steps as will insure the filing of the articles of incorporation of this society in each county in the southern convocation.

The secretary read a communication from Santa Ana, asking for \$100 to aid in the erection of a church in that mission; also, one from the Church of the Epiphany, asking for \$500.

The needs of the partly erected church in Sierra Madre were also presented, and a loan asked to the extent of \$500. On motion the treasurer was authorized to draw a draft for \$500 to meet the needs of a section of the Sierra Madre, when sufficient security is offered for the loan.

The secretary then presented his first annual report, stating that 10 meetings had been held during the year, and an annual meeting of stockholders for election of officers; that the society had received the property of the church at Sierra Madre; also, property at San Pedro and Inglewood. This report was adopted and ordered to be presented to the convocation.

It was resolved that in view of the fact that great good could be accomplished by extending aid to churches in need, that the matter be brought before the convocation, and the interest of members be solicited in securing gifts and bequests to the Church Extension Society.

On motion the meeting adjourned.

PHILLIPS' EXCURSION.

A Large Party Who Left for the East Yesterday.

The following people left, east-bound, last night via A. Phillips & Co.'s excursion over the Santa Fé route, in charge of George D. Phillips:

S. Goldberg, G. C. Raft, Binghamton, N. Y.; Mrs. J. W. Barton, Trinidad, Colo.; Benjamin Leiman and wife, B. Bion, J. J. Beckwith and wife, Miss Emma Beckwith, Granada, Colo.; John W. Todd, La Junta, Colo.; T. D. Merryman and wife, Rock Island, H. Churchman, C. L. Brown, Longmont, K. O.; Mrs. A. Arthur, Santa Fe, N. M.; Mrs. A. C. Lewis, Me.; R. M. Clark, Halstead; J. W. Caldwell and wife, Memphis; W. A. Colwell, H. E. Colwell, Omaha; Miss Julia Colwell, M. A. H. Colwell, Omaha; children, Des Moines; Rev. L. W. Frink, Chicago; August Kuhn, Monroeville, O.; Miss Maggie Boyd, A. Cramm, Boston; E. V. Lampert, Chicago; Mr. McDonald, Boston; M. E. Singleton and wife, St. Joe, Mo.; Mrs. H. H. Bryan, Shenandoah, Iowa; Mrs. E. A. Woodward, Mrs. Adamson, Chicago; J. R. Rockwell, Omaha; H. Wheeler, A. Hall, Kansas City; Mrs. Friday, Great Bend, Kan.; Mrs. Wait and family, Seligman, Ark.; T. M. Wilson and wife, Mrs. Wilson, U. G. Holliday, Mr. Shawart, Louis Triebel, E. McDrew and family, Emma Spaulding, Mrs. Southard, Daniel McKay and family, K. Gips and family, Rev. M. O. McNiff, P. Johnson, Lawrence, Kan.

One carload from San Diego and three carloads from San Francisco are to join at Barstow.

DISAPPEARED.

A Contractor Who Stood Not on the Order of His Going.

About a week ago F. S. Winchell, the contractor and builder, disappeared. He was putting up several buildings at the time, and his friends could not imagine how he could leave his work unfinished without saying a word about it. His family also disappeared, and no information as to their whereabouts could be gathered from any quarter.

Yesterday a TIMES reporter was detailed to make a thorough investigation. He soon discovered that Mr. Winchell did not leave any creditors behind. His dealings were perfectly square, and so far there has not been a single complaint, except by the persons for whom he was putting up buildings.

It seems that his wife was an invalid, and just before he left he was taken sick himself, and learned that he could not hope to do much more work. He had a chance to take his wife and family back to her family in the East, and he left without saying a word to any one. He made quite a number of friends while here who have taken a deep interest in his case.

THE COURTS.

The Usual Routine—A Big Insolvency.

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT. August Lutzke filed a libel against the ship Buckley Castle, now lying at San Diego, for seaman's wages to the extent of \$88.40.

John Brum filed a similar suit against the ship Albana, lying at San Diego.

JUDGE CHENEY'S COURT.

In the case of the People vs. Thomas Peterson, the Pasadena rape find, a demurrer was overruled; defendant pleads not guilty.

There were a number of arraignments and continuations.

The District Attorney filed the following informations: Thomas White, grand larceny; John White, burglary; José Napoleon, assault to commit murder.

NEW SUITS.

G. Girdon Adams began suit against A. D. Roth & Son, jewelers, to recover an aggregate sum of \$17,538.46, representing the following creditors: S. H. Greenberg, San

Francisco, \$1462.96; Henry Myers, San Francisco, \$12,398.75; L. Dinkenspell & Co., \$1441.21; Levison Bros., \$2236.34.

Roth & Son assigned to E. de Urquiza on Wednesday.

Jennie G. Wilkerson and T. R. Wilkerson began suit against William Rector to set aside an agreement to convey certain lots by reason of non-payment.

Proceedings were commenced in the insolvency of A. D. Pickering of the Whittier Hotel.

Frank Walker began a motion against the Los Angeles Construction Company to recover \$200 for a span of horses.

JUSTICE TAYLOR'S COURT. The case against George Helmore, John McCoy and George Stone of the late Evening Telegram for criminal libel was dismissed because the prosecuting witness failed to appear.

Six vagrants were fined in sums ranging from \$5 to \$8 each, and John Williams was fined \$7.50 for disturbing the peace.

JUSTICE AUSTIN'S COURT. Tim King, convicted of disturbing the peace, was fined \$10 or 10 days.

Edward Kane, accused of vagrancy, got his case continued until September 7th.

Northward by Steamer.

The City of Puebla left San Pedro yesterday for the north with the following passengers from this city: Mrs. F. H. Duffell, Mrs. M. C. Erskine, Mrs. H. P. Evans, L. Smith, wife and daughter, Miss Nettie Fray, D. S. McCarthy, P. Skinner, H. T. Lee, G. L. Holmes, Mrs. C. M. Cotha, Mrs. A. Montano, R. H. Henshaw and wife, J. R. Vail and wife, H. F. Burgess, R. Mateny, W. W. Radcliffe, Charles Leze, M. Rockefeller, Charles Burkhardt, A. H. Meyers, G. W. Black, Capt. S. Jones and wife, E. Solomon and wife, L. V. W. Brown, F. C. Whiting, Sam Cosgrove, H. Hart, D. R. Pervey, L. V. Reed, William Carlyle, E. Cressinger, Mrs. H. C. Leake, Mrs. J. M. Van Dyke, Mrs. S. E. Carpenter, Miss J. Gaunt, Miss K. N. Kassett, William E. Owens, K. C. Phillips, E. R. Horton, A. S. Wilson, H. S. Floyd, Miss C. L. Voygt, Miss Mary Voygt, Miss Sophia Hahn, R. S. Hallway and wife, G. E. Place, and 21 in the steerage.

For San Luis Obispo—S. E. Cox, Robert Butcher, Ah Shing.

For Santa Barbara—Mrs. H. E. Lewis, Dr. T. W. Shaw and wife, F. H. Root, Miss F. Walcott, Mrs. J. W. Lennaker, Miss L. Stone, N. de Turk, Miss O. M. Higgins, Miss Mary Magen, and three in the steerage.

Snsand's Enterprise.

An item in a morning paper a few days since concerning the improvements about to be made by O. L. Snsand, the popular barber and bathhouse-keeper, failed to state the case accurately. Mr. Snsand's new place is to be in the Miller block on Spring street, nearly opposite the Bonebrake & Bryson building. Here he is to fit up a shop, the cost of which, he says, will be, instead of \$15,000, nearer \$40,000. It will be about 40x75 feet, with ample bathrooms in the rear. The sides of the shop will be one continuous mirror, if the glass so large can be procured. The floor will be tiled, and furniture will be of the finest, and everything will be first-class throughout. The lease is for five years, at a monthly rental of \$500, it will be literally a tonsorial palace.

AN Explanation.

What is this "nervous trouble" with which so many seem now to be afflicted? If you will remember a few years ago the word malaria was comparatively unknown—today it is as common as any word in the English language, yet this word covers only the meaning of another word used by our forefathers in times past. So it is with nervous disease as the word malaria is intended to cover what our grandfathers called biliousness, and all are caused by troubles that arise from a diseased condition of the liver, which, in performing its functions, finding it cannot dispose of the bile through the ordinary channel, is compelled to pass it off through the system.

Causing nervous troubles, malaria, bilious fever, etc. You who are suffering can well appreciate a cure. We recommend Green's August Flower. Its cures are marvelous.

The Late War Franchise.

It is a question whether Uncle Sam may not have something to say about the appropriation of Rattlesnake Island for warlike purposes under the franchise granted by the Supervisors to Capt. A. W. Barrett and associates. It is well known that the lower end of the island, reaching to Deadman's Island, is but a continuation of the breakwater built by the Government for the improvement of the harbor, and whether this can be used for private purposes remains to be seen.

Manager McCool of the California Southern was interviewed yesterday concerning the story that the Santa Fé system is back of the project and will seek harbor facilities there. He scouted the idea, declaring that there is positively nothing in it.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Lamb's Low Price.

Rough merchantable pine, 1rd and up..... \$22.75
Merchantable pine, 1rd and 1st..... 21.00
Flooring, No. 1..... 31.25
Flooring, No. 2..... 26.75
Rustic, O. P..... 26.75
Shingles, No. 1 cedar, 250 in bunch, per 1000 full count..... 27.50
Plank 2-inch..... 20.25
Bridg ng..... 20.25
Delivered on cars at San Diego. Terms, net cash upon shipment. These shingles are best in market; do not discolor water, and are perfect for all purposes. Henry L. Davis, room 6, Young's block, corner Fifth and F sts., San Diego, Cal.

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New Year Tea.

Stetson's soft hats, \$2.50, \$3 and \$3.50, at the Chicago Hat Store, 35 North Main street.

Catalina is the gem resort of the Pacific Coast for fine boating, bathing, hunting and fishing.

Wedding cakes a specialty at the American Bakery, corner of First and Main streets. Give their bread a trial.

Goldman & Pele.

Jewelers, have removed from No. 11 South Spring street, Nahuas block, to 141 South Spring, Turnverein building.

Personal.

Mrs. Dr. Wells has removed to Santa Monica and is located on the beach. Second entrance north of Santa Monica bathhouse. Office hours from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m. P. O. Box 38, 9-10

Hotel Oxford.

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The Great Register was cancelled March 5, 1888, by order of the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county, Cal.

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WASHINGTON.

Blaine's Speech at Portland Criticized.

The Senate Refuses to Postpone the Fisheries Treaty.

Gen. Schofield's Powers as Commander to Be Enlarged.

The House Passes the Fortification Bill—Nomination by the President—An Agreement Reached by the Two Houses on the Army Appropriation.

By Telegraph to The Times.

WASHINGTON (D. C.), Aug. 16.—[By the Associated Press.] Senate.—In the Senate today Mr. Morgan's motion to postpone the fisheries treaty till December was defeated by a strict party vote—yeas, 37; nays, 57. Mr. Reagan took the floor on the President's annual message. During his speech Mr. Reagan quoted from Blaine's August speech of yesterday the extract in relation to trusts, and said that Blaine had taken upon himself to ridicule Cleveland's message upon that subject, and now posed as an apologist and defender of trusts. These remarks of Blaine would (with the money and corporation interests of the country) add a new feather to the plume of that gallant knight and endear him anew to the hearts of the money lords. The American people were to be congratulated that the claws of the monopolistic oppression have been allowed to protrude from the velvet gloves under which they have been concealed. Blaine's jubilation had once more overcome his discretion.

Mr. Blair complained that the extract read by Mr. Reagan was not a full report of Mr. Blaine's remarks on the subject of trusts, and he sent to the Clerk's desk and had read the report from the New York Tribune.

A conference report on the Army Appropriation Bill was then taken up, and Mr. Gorman, one of the conferees, stated the grounds on which he had declined to sign the report, and on which he would vote against it. He admitted that it was a great improvement on the bill of the main feature to which he had always objected, and still objected, was that the entire appropriation for the construction of ordnance was placed in the hands of officers, and that no opportunity for competition was offered to inventors or contractors or owners of large steel establishments. He believed that he would, before the matter closed, offer a resolution for the appointment of a select committee to investigate the whole subject, and he believed that such an investigation would disclose a chapter of incompetency, extravagance, exclusion of private enterprise on the part of the ordnance corps that would be rivaled only by the disclosures as to the ordnance department of the English army.

Mr. Allison, a member of the conference committee, said that he had never entered his mind that this would be the exclusive work of army officers. The first delivery of steel was to be 18 months from this time, and he had in his mind, as he supposed, that such was the plan of the conference committee, that there would be still two or three sessions of Congress in which to settle the question as to whether the construction of ordnance should be given to private establishments or should be done at the Watervliet Arsenal. He was not in favor of the absolute exclusion of private contractors.

Finally the discussion closed, and the conference report on the Army Appropriation Bill was concurred in—yeas, 30; nays, 11.

House.—In the House the Fortification Appropriation Bill was passed without division.

In the consideration of the morning hour Mr. Morrill of Kansas called up the resolution assigning May 2d and 3d for the consideration of general pension legislation, with a proposed amendment changing the dates to August 29th and 30th. After a vain attempt to secure a quorum, the resolution went over.

Mr. Richardson of Tennessee, from the Committee on Printing, reported back adversely the resolution directing the committee to investigate the assertion that the Public Printer buys felt for printing purposes in England. Accompanying the report was a letter from the Public Printer denying the truth of the assertion. The resolution was laid upon the table.

Then Mr. Burnes of Missouri brought forward the Deficiency Appropriation Bill, and moved that the House go into committee of the whole for its consideration, but on division the point of no quorum was raised, and a call of the roll failed to procure the requisite number.

Mr. Weaver thereupon made a motion revoking all leaves of absence except those granted on account of sickness, the revocation to take effect at the expiration of a few days.

Much opposition was made to this action, and an animated debate ensued, the motion finally being tabled.

Mr. Weaver gave notice that he would on next Monday, if the House was without a quorum, renew his motion.

Mr. Burnes, in moving to adjourn, expressed regret that at this late day of the session consideration had been refused to the General Appropriation Bill, in which veteran Union soldiers were interested. He blamed nobody, but gave notice that he would, from day to day, demand consideration of the Deficiency Bill. Adjourned.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Proposed Increase of the Powers of Gen. Schofield.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—[By the Associated Press.] The Senate Committee on Military today authorized the Chairman to prepare a bill giving to the Major-General of the Army all the rights, privileges and powers that have been enjoyed by the General and Lieutenant-General when those offices existed. This action is taken as to enable the Major-General to fill those special assignments which by law fall to the head of the army, and which are not provided for otherwise by statute.

THE FORTIFICATION BILL.

Notwithstanding the fact that the House today passed the Fortification Appropriation Bill, Chairman Townsend of the Military Committee intends to push the report of the conferees on the Army Bill (which embodies a provision for a sea-coast armament, inserted by the Senate). A report must be first made to the Senate, but Townsend is hopeful of getting it before the House in a day or two. He says that, in his opinion, there will be provision for fortifications this year if the House fails to concur in the conference report, as he is satisfied the bill passed today can not become a law.

NAVAL APPROPRIATION BILL.

The computations of the effect of changes made by the Conference Committee on the Naval Appropriation Bill have been completed, showing the total appropriation carried by the measure, as it comes from the conference, \$19,933,244. As it came from the House the bill appropriated \$20,003,074, which the Senate increased to \$20,193,243. While the items for increase of the navy remain unchanged in substance, the amount of money appropriated for that purpose during the present year has been slightly reduced.

MISCELLANEOUS MATTERS.

The President sent the following nominations to the Senate: To be judges of probate in the Territory of Utah—John Houston, Garfield county; Thomas J. Brandon, Davis county; Pardon Dodds, Utah county; John A. Marshall, Salt Lake county.

The State Department received a cablegram from Consul Welmer announcing the arrival at Santiago de Cuba of President Salomon of Hayti on board an English warship.

A pension has been granted to Lavinia, widow of Silas M. Scott, of Wilmington, Cal. George Jones, chairman of the National

Committee of the Greenback party, has issued a call for a national convention of the party to meet at Cincinnati in September, to nominate candidates for President and Vice-President.

The Races.

SARATOGA, Aug. 16.—Three-quarters of a mile—Estrella won in 1:19 1/4. Tornado second, Von Tromp third.

One and one-eighth miles—Lexie won in 1:59 1/2. Little Minnie second, Brownie S. third.

One and five-eighths miles—Los Angeles won in 3:57 1/2. Peewee second, Young Sweep third.

One mile—Grisette won in 1:46 1/4. Bessie June second, Royal Arch third.

Three-quarters of a mile—Trademark won in 1:16. Kedar Khan second, Leclair third.

MONMOUTH PARK, Aug. 16.—Three-quarters of a mile—Stridaway won in 1:14. Britannie second, Teile Doe third.

Three-quarters of a mile—Sorrento won in 1:15. Madstone second, Fides third.

Seven-eighths of a mile—Ocean won in 1:28. George Oyster second, Aurora third.

One and one-eighth miles—Barnard won in 1:56 1/2. Kallioola second, Rupert third.

California handicap, mile and one-fourth—Belvedere won in 2:30. Eurus second, Connemara third.

One mile—Lucy H. won in 1:44. Malaria second, McLaughlin third.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—In the 2:30 class, \$3000 purse, unfinished from yesterday, Thornless won, Bare Kipe second, Kit Curry third, Gov. Hill fourth. Best time, 2:32 1/2.

In the 1:34 class, \$4000 purse, Lucille Baby won, Jeremiah second, Eclipse third, Company fourth. Best time, 2:22.

In the 2:18 class, purse of \$3000, Ravonia won, Charley Horan second, White Stockings third, Loretta fourth. Best time 2:18. Special purse of \$3000, Prince Wickes won, Rosalind Wilkes second. Best time 2:15 1/2.

The pacer Johnston was sent to beat his record of 2:06 1/4, made at Chicago three years ago. The time beat him. He made the distance in 2:18, his running mate from the half mile to the wire.

Chicago Fruit Auction.

CHICAGO, Aug. 16.—Montgomery & Co. sold five cars of California fruit to-day. Prices show an upward movement for all choice fruits. Bartlett pears offered were not very attractive, a large proportion of them being spotted, but they obtained fully as good prices as the condition warranted. The balance of pears offered sold very well. Plums and prunes are higher than for some days past. Prunes sold at 60c were extremely ripe. Those at \$1.10 were in prime condition. Peaches were better than reported, and sold at high prices. Apples, owing to arrival of very attractive domestic peaches, Pears, Bartlett, 20c @ 25c; B. Hardy, 17c @ 20c; Onondago, 18c @ 20c; McIntosh, 18c @ 20c; Yellow, 18c @ 20c; 75c @ 80c; white, 85c; Sasquehanna, 75c; late Crawford, 90c; freestone, 80c @ 90c. Grapes, Muscat, half crates, 90c @ \$1.45; Tokays, single crates, 1.15; Concord, double crates, 2.25. Egg plums, 90c @ \$1.05. Gross prunes, 60c @ \$1.10.

An Oregon Town Burned.

LA GRANDE (OR.), Aug. 16.—The town of Summerville, 10 miles northeast of here, was burned this morning. The fire originated in the bank building. The total loss is about \$20,000 and the insurance about \$4000.

The principal losses were: Dr. C. B. Dietrich, office fixtures and books, \$3000; McCall Bros. & Hall, variety store and bar, \$1200; J. H. Rinehart, building, \$1000; J. McWilliams, building, \$1000; Farmers' Mortgages and Savings Bank, \$5500; Waldeck Bros., stock and merchandise, \$5000, insured for \$3000; W. C. Chatten & Co., butcher shop and household goods, \$3000, insured for \$1000.

Two Mexicans Murdered.

NOGALES (ARIZ.), Aug. 16.—Two men were killed last night at the railroad camp on the Bisbee road, near Fairbank, north of this city. One man, who had his throat cut, is supposed to have been murdered for the purpose of robbery, and the officers have so far failed to secure any clue to lead to the capture of the murderer or murderers. The other man was stabbed to death in a general quarrel, but by whom has not yet transpired. Both men were Mexicans.

The Australian Mails.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 16.—Robert J. Creighton, a New Zealand mail agent, said today: "There is scarcely any hope for continuing the Australian mail service via San Francisco. The colonies are now negotiating with the Canadian Pacific for running their service in a couple of months. If the United States desire to retain the colonial trade and connection they will have to take prompt notice as the New Zealand Parliament will adjourn within a fortnight."

The Kneebone Murder.

GRASS VALLEY, Aug. 16.—In the case of Moore and Williams, accused of the Kneebone murder, the testimony today showed that if the murdered man had driven a team at a certain speed and if the accused following in a buggy had gone at a greater rate of speed they overtook Kneebone in time to kill him and were with the body when the peddler arrived on the scene.

Bush Fires.

KINGSTON (ONT.), Aug. 16.—Bush fires have been raging in this neighborhood and have already done damage to the extent of nearly half a million dollars. The whole section is devastated. Communication is cut off through burning the corduroy roads and bridges. The Ontario government will be appealed to.

A Fearful Crime.

LONG BRANCH (N. J.), Aug. 16.—Adolph Harmon, a German employed in Manor, Brown & Co.'s store, today tried to shoot Mrs. Hayes, his mother-in-law, and then killed his wife and himself, at the highlands of the Navasink in the woods back of the twin lighthouse.

An Insane Murderer.

SAN JOSE, Aug. 16.—Thomas Laban, who so cruelly murdered his wife, about 1880, yesterday, was examined for insanity today. Judge Reynolds directed that he be confined one week, when he will again be examined. He shows every evidence of being of unsound mind.

The Grape Crop Injured.

ST. HELENA, Aug. 16.—The hot weather of the past few weeks has badly injured the grape crop. The yield will be light—less than last year. Probably less than 3,000,000 gallons of wine will be made. Wine-making with some of the earlier varieties begins on Monday.

Acquitted.

SANTA FE (N. M.), Aug. 16.—In the trial of the United States against Mat Frost, ex-registrar of the Santa Fe land office, charged with receiving illegal fees, the jury today, under peremptory instructions from the court, brought in a verdict of acquittal.

Northern Pacific Directors.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—The Northern Pacific directors' meeting has adjourned. Officials state that the matter of the joint lease of the Oregon Navigation Company was not discussed. Only routine business was transacted.

Oarsman Hanlan's Loss.

TORONTO, Aug. 16.—Edward Hanlan, Jr., young son of Hanlan, the oarsman, while playing with matches last night, set fire to his clothing and burned to death.

A Celestial Convicted.

SAN JOSE, Aug. 16.—The jury today convicted Sam Lung of assault to murder Wong Mew, whom he shot in the face in Chinatown two months ago.

Collapse of a Church.

COLEMAN (WIS.), Aug. 16.—The new Catholic church collapsed today, killing one man, and crushing seven others so severely that they may die.

To Meet at Buffalo.

SARATOGA, Aug. 16.—It has been decided to hold the Democratic State Convention at Buffalo, September 12th.

BASE-BALL.

The Giants Rally—A Boston Player Badly Injured.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 16.—[By the Associated Press.] Pittsburgh defeated the Phillies this afternoon by a score of 10-4. Score: Pittsburgh, 6; Philadelphia, 1. Batteries: Galvin and Miller, Buffington and Clements.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—O'Day was a mystery to the Hoosiers today, and they were whitewashed. Score: Washington, 3; Indianapolis, 0. Batteries: O'Day and Deasley, Burdick and Daly.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—Keefe was in splendid form again today, and the alleged champions could do nothing with him. Score: New York, 8; Detroit, 0. Batteries: Keefe and Ewing, Getzlin and Bennett.

BOSTON, Aug. 16.—The bean-eaters were on to Krock today, and won with ease. Hornung was struck hard by a pitched ball in the first inning, and was unconscious for a long time. He will be laid up for some days, at least, and may be longer. The doctors fear a serious concussion of the brain. Score: Boston, 8; Chicago, 3. Batteries: Clarkson and Kelly, Krock and Daly.

LEAGUE STANDING.

| | Played | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|--------------|--------|-----|------|------|
| New York | 59 | 38 | 21 | .644 |
| Chicago | 58 | 32 | 26 | .552 |
| Detroit | 57 | 27 | 30 | .474 |
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| Boston | 59 | 24 | 35 | .407 |
| Pittsburgh | 57 | 27 | 30 | .474 |
| Washington | 58 | 25 | 33 | .431 |
| Indianapolis | 59 | 31 | 28 | .396 |

Racing at Santa Rosa.

SANTA ROSA, Aug. 16.—Running one and one-half-mile dash, purse of \$300. Appleby's Laura Gardner, Cockrill's Daisy D. and Index, from the Elwood stables, were entered. Laura Gardner won the race easily, Daisy D. second, Index third. Time, 2:30.

Trotting, 2:38 class, purse of \$500, with Miller's Thapsin, Dustin's Gus Wilkes, Searle's Alfred T. entered. While the horses were scoring for a start, Gus Wilkes stumbled and fell on the quarter stretch, throwing his driver, J. A. Dustin. Thapsin won the heat by half a length, Alfred T. second, Gus Wilkes third. Time, 2:34 1/2.

Trotting 2:38 class, purse of \$400. Eight entered: Rodenhaver's Alcona, Jr., Smith's Numbur, Chief Reiter's Alcona, Jr., Holly's Economy—Alcona, Jr. won the first heat, Economy second. Time, 2:41.

The second heat in the 2:38 class was next held. Alfred S. won the first heat, Thapsin second, Gus Wilkes third. Time, 2:34 1/2.

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Mrs. Parnell Defends Her Son.

MYSTIC (CT.), Aug. 16.—Mrs. Della Stewart Parnell, addressing the National Convention of the Universal Peace Union, now in session, avowed full sympathy with the peace meeting, and said that the Home Rule party always acted on peace principles. Replying to a question, she said that she had known the secrets of the Home Rule party from the start. The London Times charges that Parnell and his colleagues have conspired to assassinate violence, as to her personal knowledge, outrageously false.

The Protective Tariff League.

NEW YORK, Aug. 16.—At the regular monthly meeting of the committee of the American Protective Tariff League today reports were received showing that an immense amount of work has been done. During the month 793,590 pamphlets were sent out, with about 17,000,000 pages. Stephen F. Morse was elected secretary, and a manager in place of Garrett Roach, deceased, and ex-Gov. Henry M. Hoyt of Pennsylvania was elected general secretary in place of Joseph D. Weeks, resigned.

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trust arrested the building of a block on the corner of Third and D, and another near the Turn Verein Hall, and in several other places, all of which are now closed up and awaiting lower prices. If the \$2 tariff had been taken off, even that reduction would, perhaps, have pushed these buildings along; but as it was added and added to by the mills above, the result is that the lumber that would have gone into them is lying idle in our lumber-yards, and interest accruing on the outlay for it. Trusts, monopolies, tariff and overreaching real-estate men have a long and large account to settle in the history of San Diego for the last two years. People know this, and it cannot be concealed. The masses will scarcely be hoodwinked into believing that it is cheaper to pay \$42 per thousand for certain lumber than it is to pay \$40. It is asking too much for one to believe such infernal nonsense—such devilish cheating.

A Brilliant Financial Exploit.

(Globe Democrat.)

In 1887 the Federal Government advertised for bids for 2000 blankets for the medical department of the army. The specifications were plain as to the texture and quality of the fabric, and the weight was to be four pounds. The lowest bids were one from an American manufacturer for \$2.56 and one from an English maker for \$2.25. There was a difference, therefore, of only 31 cents between the bids, the British figures being the higher.

In this country, minus the duty, under such circumstances the natural inference would be that the Government would give the contract to the American manufacturer, and keep in this country the money which they would cost, so that this money would go to the benefit of domestic labor. The illustrious statesmen and reformers who are running the country just now, however, did not take this view of the matter. They saw a chance whereby the Government could make 31 cents on a blanket, or \$620 on the whole transaction, and grasped it. The contract was given to England.

One of the national statutes permits the Government to bring in free of duty any commodity which it needs for its own use. Under this law the 2000 British blankets were imported. The duty on these blankets at the regular 18c a pound and 35 per cent. ad valorem rate would be about \$916. To save \$620 to the Government, the Administration, in this transaction, cheated the Government out of \$916 in revenues. Here was a clear gain of \$2396 in cold cash—on the wrong side of the account.

The \$4500 sent out of the country represented a loss to the American wool-grower and to the laborer in the American woolen factory. The only individual benefited by the scheme was the British manufacturer. But it must be remembered that \$620 was saved to the Government, although the Government lost \$916 in doing it. It was a triumph of statesmanship, a marvel of diplomatic skill and sagacity. It was one of the most brilliant financial exploits of the century.

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CAMP ECHOES.

FROM THE ENCAMPMENT AT ANAHEIM LANDING.

Falling into Line—Routine of the Camp—Rallying Round the "Grub Pile"—The Canvas Town Growing—Reception Tents—The Roll of Veterans.

ANAHEIM LANDING, Aug. 16.—[Special correspondence of THE TIMES.] This is my first experience in camping out, and really it's very "jolly" in the language of the small boy. Of course if one comes here expecting to find velvet carpets, lace curtains and parlor grinds in every apartment, he will naturally be somewhat disappointed; but if he can pocket his luxuries, forget his formality, and leave his tall hat and best broadcloth at home, giving himself up to pure, undiluted enjoyment, and superb indifference to personal appearance, he will be happy and pronounce camp life simply delightful.

At 6 o'clock in the morning the reveille is sounded, and this is the signal to "turn out," as the boys say. It is, of course, the fashion here to use military terms in conversation—and, accordingly, I'm trying to "fall in" as rapidly as possible—and, really, I think I'm making very good progress for an amateur.

The pavilion is used as a ballroom, concert hall or general assembly room, as occasion demands, every evening, and in the daytime is transformed into a restaurant conducted by Messrs. White and Houson of Anaheim, and the "rations" are very good indeed. To be sure, the butter gives out, sometimes, and I have heard it darkly hinted that a panic would ensue if the supply of crackers should fail; but all these trifles are minor details.

Our town is growing faster than any place I ever knew, but, notwithstanding this, I have not yet found a real estate office. Over 20 tents were put up yesterday, and still they come. The cloud of dust on the hill begins to rise in dense columns soon after sunrise every morning, betokening the coming of the hosts, and a long line of carriages continues to file in from dawn till dark. Delegations from Elsinore, Orange, Santa Ana and many other surrounding towns arrived on the grounds yesterday. By the way, what has happened to Frank Bartlett's edit of Los Angeles? I wonder? Edit. Cowies is its sole representative as yet. Comrade A. H. Clark acted as Officer of the Day on Tuesday, with Comrades Woolsey, Killifen, Sebastian and Leeper as details for guard duty. On Wednesday, Comrade F. D. Sheffer was Officer of the Day, and Comrades Rockwell, Percell and Amey composed the detail. Dan Bidwell, Gordon Granger, Malvern Hill and Sedgwick posted erected reception tents yesterday which look very inviting—with floating banners, and very military—with stacks of arms in front of each.

The Woman's Relief Corps have their headquarters just beyond Col. Brooker's tent, facing the parade ground, and their canvas house is fitted up very nicely with carpets, comfortable chairs, etc. Here are quartered at present Mrs. A. M. Sproul, Past President of the W.R.C. at Norwalk, who acts as hostess; her daughter, Miss Hattie Sproul; Miss Kate Kenney, Miss Emma Kenney, Miss E. D. Johnson, Norwalk; Mrs. Sarah Carse, Artesia; Mrs. Anna Crenn, Los Angeles; and your correspondent. A reception was held here on yesterday afternoon at 3 p.m. Quite a large number of ladies were present, and it was a very enjoyable occasion. A meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps will be held here on Friday afternoon, and it is earnestly desired that all members be present.

THE FORCES IN THE FIELD.

The following-named veterans have registered up to date:

From Dan Bidwell Post 140 of Norwalk: J. C. Leeper, Co. C, 5th Regt., Mich.; Eli Craunton, 5th Regt., Mich.; L. C. Mason, Co. B, 16th Regt., Ind. Inf. Vols.; John Dooland, 7th Cal. Vols.; Anson Woodin, Co. I, 4th Mo.; J. P. Sanford, Co. F, 6th Kansas Cav.; H. K. Brenizer, Co. B, 46th Ill.; George Sebastian, Co. G, 11th O.; C. W. Amy, Co. C, 150th Pa.; John Brooker, 33d N. Y. Inf.; and 49th N. Y. Inf.

From Sedgwick Post 17 of Santa Ana: Edwin H. Eddy, Co. F, 147th Ill. Vol. Inf.; C. J. Hough, 159th Ill. Vols.; S. Huntington, Co. D, 29th Iowa; O. J. Buck, Co. A, 96th Ill.; Robert Cummings, Co. C, 7th Pa. Cav.; F. D. Sheffer, Co. B, 10th Ind. Inf.; L. D. Rockwell, Co. C, 74th Ill.; B. D. Van Allen and S. J. Colby, Co. E, 24th Wis. Vol. Inf.; H. A. York, 8th Ill.

From Gordon Granger Post 133 of Orange: John A. Woolsey, Jr., Mas. 7th Ill. Cav.; Thomas M. Purcell, Co. G, 6th Cal. Inf.; Ira A. Merrill, Co. B, 26th Wis.; W. H. Clayton, Co. H, 19th Iowa; S. B. McTearnehan, 2d Cal. Cav. Vols.; Anson C. Town and E. Marsh, 14th Ind. Vols.

From Frank Bartlett Post 6 of Los Angeles: H. W. Cowles, Co. C, 43d N. Y. Inf.

From Malvern Hill Post No. 131 of Anaheim: G. A. Prim, 88th Ind. Vols.; G. W. Sponable, Co. A, 95th Ill. Vol. Inf.; W. W. White, Co. G, 150th Cal. Inf.; C. Gade, Co. C, 97th N. Y. Vols.

From T. B. Stevens Post No. 103, Elsinore: J. B. Dutton, Co. H, 24th Iowa Vols.; Jesse T. Cobb, Co. E, N. H. Vet. Vols.

From Shiloh Post No. 60: M. McConnell, Co. G, 5th Kan. Art.

From Vicksburg Post No. 61 of Pomonio: T. C. Thomas, Capt. Co. A, 6th Wis. Inf.; R. A. Allen, 23d N. Y. Cav. From Addition Post No. 121 of San Jacinto: William Dusenberry, Co. B, 30th O.

From Stanton Post No. 55 of Los Angeles: D. Kelleher, Co. D, 124th Ind.

From Gelich Post No. 106 of East Los Angeles: Andrew Saunders, Co. H, 17th Me.

The following names have been registered without the names of the posts to which they belong: G. W. Robinson, Co. C, 13th Iowa Inf.; B. M. Sitten, Co. D, 3d Regt., Mo. S. M. Cav.; J. J. Hopper, Co. I, 3d N. Y. Cav., also Co. F, 22d N. Y. Cav.

Representatives from abroad who have not yet been transferred: S. W. Bennett, Co. K (residence Garden Grove), of Gen. W. S. Hancock Post No. 145, Dept. of Minn.; I. T. Bingham, Co. B, 57th Ind. (residence Pasadena), McFarland Post No. 20, Dept. of Iowa.

Members of the Women's Relief Corps have registered as follows: From Frank Bartlett Corps No. 7, Los Angeles: Mrs. S. F. Binkley, Mrs. H. W. Cowles, Mrs. Anna Kremer.

From Dan Bidwell Corps No. 46, Norwalk: Mrs. John Brooker, Miss Josie Brooker, Mrs. M. M. Sproul, Mrs. Hughes, Nancy Bland, Margaret Randall, Mrs. Sarah Corse.

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Mrs. A. H. Clark, Mrs. Nellie B. Town, Mrs. Emma Bussek.
From T. B. Stevens Corps No. 38, Elsinore: Mrs. R. J. Dutton, Mrs. Minnie D. Hoff.
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